

HELP WITH DRUG COSTS

You could qualify for help with Medicare Prescription Drug costs, like premiums, deductibles and co-pays. Eligibility is based on your income and assets.

Save money on other Medicare costs.

For questions or help in applying for any of these programs, call the Medicare Specialist at your local ServiceLink Aging and Disability Resource Center.



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Call your local ServiceLink
1-866-634-9412 (Toll Free)
or
www.servicelink.org

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Medicare Savings



Save money on your
Prescription Drug
Plan costs



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THESE PROGRAMS ARE DESIGNED TO HELP PAY MEDICARE EXPENSES.

See the sections below for benefits and requirements for each.



EXTRA HELP for PRESCRIPTIONS

LIS – Low Income Subsidy

This program can lower your Medicare prescription expenses.

2011 Limits*	Monthly Income	Assets (Cash, IRAs, CDs – not your home or car)
Single Individual	\$1,353	\$12,640
Married Couple	\$1,821	\$25,260



MEDICARE SAVINGS PROGRAMS

These programs can pay Part B Premiums or more.

QMB – Qualified Medicare Beneficiary

Monthly Income limit* \$ 923 (single)
\$1,233 (couple)

Pays Medicare Part B premiums

Pays Part A and Part B deductibles and co-insurance

SLMB – Specified Low-income Medicare Beneficiary

Monthly Income limit* \$1,239 (single)
\$1,660 (couple)

Pays Medicare Part B premiums

** Please note that limits may change each year*

For 2011, the asset or resource limit is \$6,680 (single), \$10,020 (couple).

You will need to know if your life insurance policy can be turned in for cash, and for how much. Is it worth more than \$1,500?

It costs nothing to apply.

You will need these proofs to apply:

Proof of citizenship

Social Security Number

Proof of residence

Proof of identity

Proof of income

Proof of insurance

Proof of assets



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